

NEWS SUMMARY.

Yesterdays afternoon about three o'clock a disturbance took place in Front street, near Walnut, between a number of men, during which Michael Wood, aged twenty-three years, was badly beaten about the head. The affair created considerable excitement, when a policeman made his appearance, taking into custody the offending party. Wood was removed to the Pennsylvania Hospital, where his injuries were properly attended to.

The Troy Whig, Auburn News, and other newspapers are recommending that able men should be selected for delegates to the State Convention, and not men pledged to particular candidates. General Canby recently said that for Governor-elect Walker, of Virginia, he had the highest respect, and he had the utmost confidence that he was faithful and earnest in his support of the administration and the laws of Congress.

MARINE TELEGRAPH.

ALMANAC FOR PHILADELPHIA—THIS DAY. SUN RISES 6:28. HIGH WATER 12:57. PHILADELPHIA BOARD OF TRADE. COMMITTEE OF THE MONTH. ARRIVED YESTERDAY. Steamship Weymouth, from New York, Philadelphia and Southern Mail Steamship Co.

FOR SALE.

A FIRST-CLASS RESIDENCE. FOR SALE. The New Brown-Stone Dwelling, with Coach House, No. 1507 SPRUCE STREET. The house is 22 feet front, three story and Mansard roof, and three-story double back buildings, with 14th, second, and third floors, and water closets on first, second, and third floors, and every modern convenience.

PATENTS.

PATENT OFFICES. N. W. Corner FOURTH and CHESTNUT. (Entrance on FOURTH STREET). FRANCIS D. FASTERIUS, SOLICITOR OF PATENTS. Patents procured for inventions in the United States and Foreign countries, and all business relating to the same promptly transacted.

AMUSEMENTS.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC. GRAND REHEARSAL. RICHMOND ENGLISH OPERA. Opening Night, Monday, Sept. 4. THE COLLEEN BAWN. HARRY AND ROSE WATKINS. MRS. JOHN DREWS'S ARCH STREET THEATRE. Business Agent and Treasurer, JOSEPH D. MURPHY.

Domestic Affairs.

Gold closed yesterday at 135. Secretary Rawlins was somewhat better last evening. A fire is raging in the Great Dismal Swamp of Virginia.

Incidentals.

Charles W. Slack, Esq., for many years has been Treasurer of the Massachusetts State Republican Committee, has resigned the position. Governor Jewell, of Connecticut, has appointed Professor Silliman State Chemist, under an act passed at the last session of the Legislature relating to taverns and spirituous liquors.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Br ship Armstrong, Owen, 14 days from Bangor, in ballast to C. O. Van Horn. Steamship Atlantic, Brooks, 20 hours from New York, with cargo, E. O. Hall, in the bay, brig Lewis Clark, bound up.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

GERMANTOWN, five minutes walk from Wayne Station, two neat and comfortable Houses on WAYNE Street, below Mainline, suitable for a small and respectable family, with all the modern conveniences, gas, water, range, bath, etc. Rent, \$50 per annum. Apply to JACOB KAUFF, No. 77 WESTER Street, Germantown. Possession at once.

GOVERNMENT SALES.

AUCTION SALE OF HOSPITAL BEDDING, CLOTHING, DRESSINGS, ETC. ASSISTANT MEDICAL PURVEYOR'S OFFICE. WASHINGTON, D. C. August 30, 1893. Will be sold at Public Auction, in this city, on TUESDAY, the 28th day of September, 1893, at Judiciary Square, D. C., a large quantity of Hospital Property, consisting of BEDDING, CLOTHING, AND DRESSINGS, among which will be found the following, viz: 3,000 Bed Sacks.

SHIPPING.

FOR LIVERPOOL AND QUEENSTOWN—Imperial Line of Steamers. Steamers are appointed to sail as follows: City of London (via Halifax), Tuesday, Sept. 7, at 1 P. M.; City of Washington, Saturday, Sept. 11, at 10 A. M.

Foreign Affairs.

The German Arctic Expedition has been heard from. The London press is busy discussing the Stowe-Byron matter.

Foreign Miscellany.

Moldavia is persecuting the Jews. Berlin has 77,972 school children. Coal has been discovered in Poland.

PAPER HANGINGS.

HOWELL & BOURKE, MANUFACTURERS OF PAPER HANGINGS, CORNER FOURTH AND MARKET STREETS, PHILADELPHIA.

THE AMERICAN COMBINATION BUTTON-HOLE AND SEWING MACHINE.

Is now universally admitted to be superior to others as a Family Machine. THE SIMPLICITY, EASE, AND CERTAINTY with which it operates as well as the uniform excellence of its work, throughout the entire range of sewing, in

THE SINKING FUND.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND. PHILADELPHIA, August 30, 1893. Sealed bids will be received for the redemption of ONE MILLION DOLLARS of the loan of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, due July 1, 1897, until 12 o'clock A. M., October 1, 1893.

PHILADELPHIA, RICHMOND, AND NORFOLK STEAMSHIP LINE.

THE SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST. FAST FREIGHT LINE, EVERY THURSDAY. The Steamships PROMETHEUS, Captain Gray, and WILLIAMS, Captain Himekay, will sail on TUESDAY, September 5, at 4 P. M.